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|-----------------------|----------|------|--------|
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| 1910                  | 48.00    | 1928 | 41.00  |
| 1911                  | 43.00    | 1931 | 700.00 |
| 1912                  | 55.00    | 1932 | 750.00 |
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| 1913-S                | 95.00    |      |        |
| 1914-S                | 43.00    |      |        |
| 1914-D                | 53.00    |      |        |
| 1915                  | 57.00    |      |        |
| 1915-S                | 44.00    |      |        |
| 1916-S                | 48.00    |      |        |
| 1920                  | 51.00    |      |        |
| 1922                  | 43.00    |      |        |
| 1922-S                | 150.00   |      |        |
| 1923                  | 46.00    |      |        |
| 1924                  | 42.00    |      |        |
| 1925                  | 43.00    |      |        |

## Mexico Gold

|         |       |
|---------|-------|
| \$50 BU | 49.00 |
| \$20 BU | 22.00 |

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|        |         |
|--------|---------|
| 1932   | \$24.00 |
| 1926   | 24.00   |
| 1913-S | 60.00   |

## Indian \$5

|                   |         |
|-------------------|---------|
| 1908-D (148m) BU  | \$15.00 |
| 1909-D (4m 1n) BU | 12.00   |
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| \$20 St. Gaudens | 42.00   | 41.00   | \$ 5 Indian  | 12.00 | 11.00 |
| \$10 Indian      | 24.00   | 23.00   | \$ 5 Liberty | 12.50 | 11.50 |

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| 1908, 10, 11, 12, 26, 32 ea. (20)  | 470.00   |
| \$10 Liberty (20)                  | 435.00   |
| \$10 Liberty various in 1890-1900s | 440.00   |
| \$20 Liberty (10)                  | 415.00   |
| \$20 St. Gaudens (10)              | 415.00   |

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|                 |         |              |       |
|-----------------|---------|--------------|-------|
| \$10 BU         |         | 1908 mott BU | 24.00 |
| 1886-S gem      | \$30.00 | 1909         | 24.00 |
| 1886-S BU       | 25.00   | 1910         | 24.00 |
| 1901-S gem      | 30.00   | 1911         | 24.00 |
| 1903-S BU       | 25.00   | 1912         | 24.00 |
| INDIAN          |         | 1913-S       | 60.00 |
| 1907 (250m) BU  | 27.00   | 1926         | 24.00 |
| 1907 XF         | 24.00   | 1932         | 23.75 |
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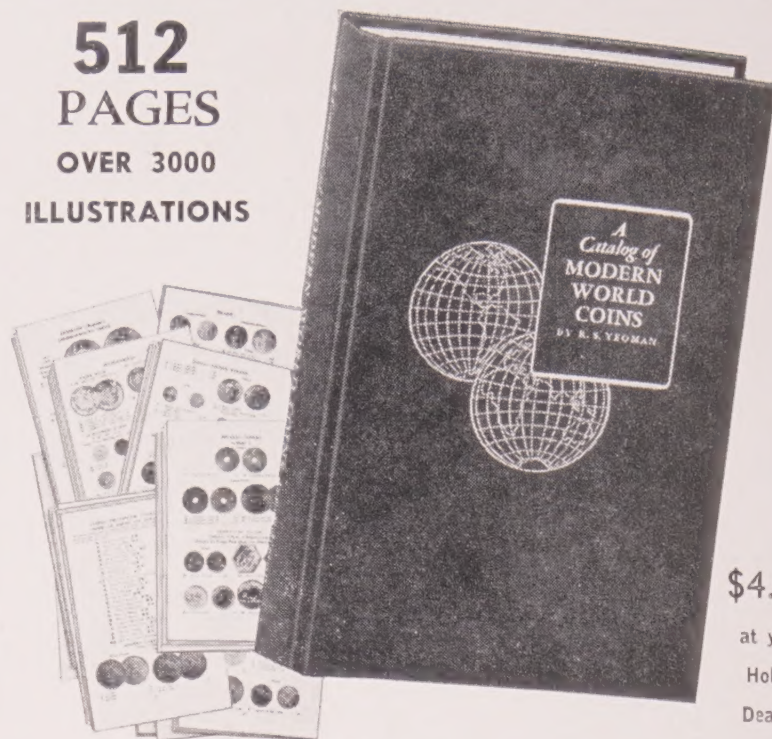
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| 1921     | A.U. | 5.25   |
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| 1931-S   | V.F. | 7.75   |
| 1938-S   | Unc. | .65    |
| 1939-D   | Unc. | 1.25   |
| 1943-S   | Unc. | .60    |

## NICKELS

|             |            |      |
|-------------|------------|------|
| 1866        | Vg.F.      | 2.25 |
| 1870        | G.         | 1.15 |
| 1873        | G.         | 1.15 |
| 1883-cents  | Vg.F.      | 2.65 |
| 1883-shield | Unc.       | 4.65 |
| 1889        | V.G.       | 1.15 |
| 1891        | G.Vg.      | 1.15 |
| 1937        | Unc.       | .25  |
| 1938-D      | Buff. Unc. | .25  |
| 1938        | Jeff. Unc. | .25  |
| 1939        | Unc.       | .95  |
| 1940        | Unc.       | .25  |
| 1950-D      | Unc.       | .75  |

## DIMES

|        |      |       |
|--------|------|-------|
| 1917   | Unc. | 2.65  |
| 1918-D | Unc. | 15.25 |
| 1921   | V.G. | 2.25  |
| 1921-D | V.G. | 3.25  |
| 1949-S | Unc. | 2.65  |

## QUARTERS

|           |       |      |
|-----------|-------|------|
| 1901-0    | F.G.  | 3.25 |
| 1821      | G.    | 2.25 |
| 1832      | V.G.  | 2.25 |
| 1917-Ty I | A.U.  | 2.25 |
| 1920      | V.F.  | 2.25 |
| 1924      | V.F.  | 2.25 |
| 1925      | V.F.  | 1.25 |
| 1930      | V.F.  | 1.25 |
| 1844-0    | G.    | 1.25 |
| 1932      | Unc.  | 2.15 |
| 1932-D    | Vg.F. | 5.25 |
| 1932-S    | V.G.  | 2.25 |
| 1947      | Unc.  | 2.75 |

## HALVES

|        |           |      |
|--------|-----------|------|
| 1838   | Fine      | 5.25 |
| 1916-D | V.G.      | 2.25 |
| 1921   | V.G.      | 3.75 |
| 1937-S | A.U.      | 6.25 |
| 1948   | Unc.      | 2.25 |
| 1952   | Carver U. | .80  |

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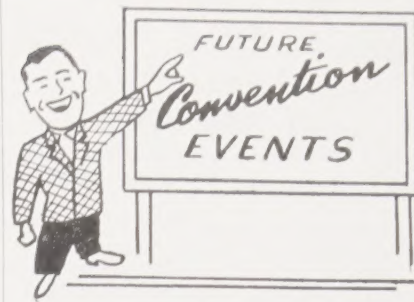
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land, Ohio. Mrs. Nathan Gold,  
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**SO. DAKOTA CONVENTION—**  
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| 13  | 1864 AU (Brz)      | 36  | 1897 AU  |
| 14  | 1865 VF            | 37  | 1898 F+  |
|     | (date weak)        | 38  | 1898 AU  |
| 15  | 1868 F (nick)      | 39  | 1899 F+  |
| 16  | 1870 VF (die brk)  | 40  | 1900 F+  |
| 17  | 1872 VG            | 41  | 1900 VF  |
| 18  | 1875 Abt.F         | 42  | 1901 ExF |
| 19  | 1876 Abt.F         | 43  | 1902 VF  |
| 20  | 1877 V.Fair        | 44  | 1903 VF  |
|     | (strong date)      | 45  | 1903 AU  |
| 21  | 1878 VF (edg nick) | 46  | 1904 VF  |
| 22  | 1878 Agt.VF        | 47  | 1905 VF  |
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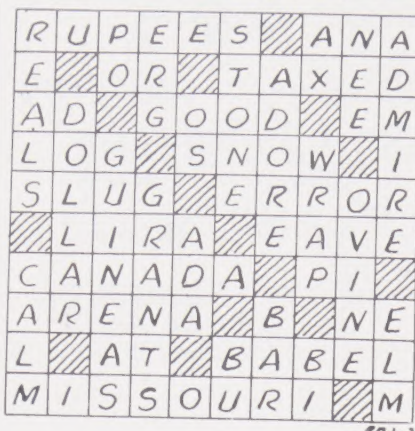
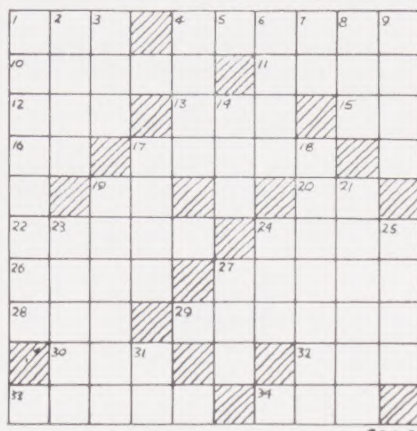
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|       |                    |      |        |       |
|-------|--------------------|------|--------|-------|
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| 1904  | V.Good    | .75  | Fine | 1.75 |
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| 1917  | V.Good    | .40  | Fine | .60  |
| 1919  | V.Good    | .45  | Fine | .65  |

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|         |        |      |        |      |
|---------|--------|------|--------|------|
| 1870    | V.Good | 4.00 | Fine   | 6.50 |
| 1872H   | V.Good | 4.00 | Fine   | 6.50 |
| 1873    | V.Good | 4.00 | Fine   | 6.50 |
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| 1876H   | V.Good | 6.00 | Fine   | 9.00 |
| 1880    | V.Good | 6.00 | Fine   | 9.00 |
| 1881    | V.Good | 4.00 | Fine   | 6.50 |
| 1882H   | V.Good | 2.00 | Fine   | 3.50 |
| 1885    | V.Good | 2.50 | Fine   | 4.00 |
| 1888    | V.Good | 3.00 | Fine   | 5.00 |
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| 1896    | V.Good | 1.50 | Fine   | 2.25 |
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| 1911-D .....      | .20   | .40   | 1.50  | 2.50  | 4.50  |
| 1912-S .....      | .75   | 1.25  | 2.00  | 3.75  | 6.00  |
| 1912-D .....      | .20   | .60   | 1.25  | 3.00  | 6.00  |
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| 1921-S .....      | .15   | .30   | .75   | 2.00  | 7.50  |
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| 1923-S .....      | .25   | .40   | 1.25  | 2.50  | 7.50  |
| 1924-S .....      | .10   | .20   | .60   | 2.00  | 4.25  |
| 1924-D .....      | 1.60  | 2.00  | 3.50  | 4.50  | 6.00  |
| 1926-S .....      | .40   | .55   | 1.25  | 1.85  | 4.00  |
| 1931-S .....      | 6.50  | 7.10  | 7.60  | 8.50  | 9.50  |
| 1931-D .....      | .40   | .60   | 1.25  | 2.00  | 3.00  |
| 31-P, 32-D .....  | .06   | .10   | .15   | .35   | .60   |
| 32-P, 33-P .....  | .05   | .10   | .15   | .25   | .60   |
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| 1912-S .....      | .35   | .60   | 1.00  | 1.85  | 3.00  |
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| 1924-D .....      | .90   | 1.30  | 1.75  | 2.75  | 3.75  |
| 1926-S .....      | .20   | .25   | .60   | .85   | 2.00  |
| 1931-S .....      | 5.25  | 5.75  | 6.25  | 7.10  | 8.25  |
| 1931-D .....      | .20   | .30   | .60   | 1.00  | 1.50  |
| 31-P, 32-D .....  | .03   | .05   | .07   | .15   | .25   |
| 32-P, 33-P .....  | .03   | .05   | .08   | .10   | .25   |
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## ROMAN COINS

Part I. A COIN OF AUGUSTUS  
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The values of Roman silver denarii have increased from 20-40% in the last twenty-four months. The greater increase has come among the scarcest and finest specimens. This in-

crease has been due, in part, to the rapidly multiplying number of ancient Roman silver collectors. One of the most popular types in the Roman Imperial silver series is the denarius of Augustus Caesar. Augustus, who reigned from 29 B.C. to 14 A.D., was the first ruler during the Roman Imperial period. Since silver denarii of Augustus exist with hundreds of reverse types and in large numbers, some collectors make a specialty of coins of this emperor. However, the average Roman coin enthusiast is content with one specimen from the reign of each emperor.

Pictured above is one of the most common denarii of Augustus. It is a memorial coin, struck to mourn the passing of Caius and Lucius, the intended heirs of Au-



Denarius of Augustus Caesar

gustus. These unfortunate grandsons of Augustus both died early in life (2 A.D. and 4 A.D.), thereby bringing great disappointment to the famous ruler. There also exists a gold aureus bearing this same picture of Caius and Lucius. Each specimen in gold in very fine condition is worth a hundred dollars or more.

Augustus was the leader of the Roman Empire from 29 B.C. to 14 A.D. The birth of Jesus took place, therefore, during the principate of Augustus. Christian numismatists find his coinage fascinating since any particular specimen may have been used by Jesus or his disciples. Portrait coins of Augustus and also of Tiberius, who reigned when Jesus was crucified, have increased steadily in value.

Much has been written about Augustus. A good portion of this material is controversial, however, since ancient historians were in conflict as to his exact character. One thing is certain: Augustus was one of the greatest political organizers and administrators in the history of the world. His establishment of peace, security, and stability within the Roman Empire provided, among other important services, for the foundation of a sound monetary system and a respected coinage.

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| 1920-S |        | Ex.Fine  | 19.00   |
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| 1  | 1909-SVDB    | VF | 56      | 1932-P-D         | F       |
| 2  | 2-1909-VDB   | EF | 57      | 1933-P-D         | VG      |
| 3  | 1909-S       | VG | 58      | 5-1939-D         | EF      |
| 4  | 1909-S       | F  | 5 CENT  |                  |         |
| 5  | 1909-S       | VF | 59      | 1889             | G       |
| 6  | 2-1910       | VF | 60      | 1891             | F       |
| 7  | 1910-S       | F  | 61      | 1892             | G       |
| 8  | 1910-S       | EF | 62      | 1912-D           | G       |
| 9  | 1911         | VF | 63      | 1913-D TI        | AU      |
| 10 | 1911-S       | VG | 64      | 1913-S TI        | VG      |
| 11 | 1911-S       | VG | 65      | 1921-S           | VG      |
| 12 | 1911-D       | F  | 66      | 1923-S           | VG      |
| 13 | 1912-13-14   | F  | 67      | 1924-S           | G       |
| 14 | 1912-S       | AF | 68      | 1925-D           | VG      |
| 15 | 1912-D       | F  | 69      | 1925-S           | G       |
| 16 | 1913-D       | F  | 70      | 1927-S           | VG      |
| 17 | 1913-S       | F  | 71      | 1931-S           | VG      |
| 18 | 1914-S       | F  | 72      | 1931-S           | F       |
| 19 | 2-1914-S     | F  | 10 CENT |                  |         |
| 20 | 1915-D       | F  | 73      | 1916-D           | G       |
| 21 | 1915-S       | F  | 74      | 1921-D           | G       |
| 22 | 1915-S       | VF | MISC.   |                  |         |
| 23 | 1916-17-19   | VF | 75      | 1864 2c          | G       |
| 24 | 1916-17-18-S | VF | 76      | 1883 5c WOR      | G       |
| 25 | 1916-17-18-D | F  |         | 1883 5c NC       | VF      |
| 26 | 1919-20-21   | VF | 77      | 1884 5c          | G       |
| 27 | 1919-S-D     | VF | 78      | 1 Set 10c 1946-  |         |
| 28 | 1920-S-D     | F  |         | 1953-P-D-S       | BU      |
| 29 | 1921-S       | F  | 79      | 1 Set 10s 1946-  |         |
| 30 | 1921-S       | VF |         | 1955-P-D-S       | BU      |
| 31 | 1922-P       | G  | 80      | 1 Set 5c 1938-   |         |
| 32 | 1922-D       | VG |         | 1956-P-D-S       | BU      |
| 33 | 1922-D       | F  | 81      | 1937-D 25c       | BU      |
| 34 | 1923-24-25   | VF | 82      | 1932-S 25c       | VG      |
| 35 | 1923-S       | F  | 83      | 1896 \$1.00      | EF      |
| 36 | 1923-S       | VF | 84      | 1889-O \$1.00    | VF      |
| 37 | 1924-S       | F  | 85      | 1904-O \$1.00    | VF      |
| 38 | 1924-S       | VF | 86      | 1958 \$1.00      |         |
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| 42 | 1925-S       | VF | PROOFS  |                  |         |
| 43 | 1926-27-28   | F  | 88      | 1954             | 91 1957 |
| 44 | 1926-27-28-D | F  | 89      | 1955             | 92 1958 |
| 45 | 1926-S       | F  | 90      | 1956             |         |
| 46 | 1926-S       | VF | ROLLS   |                  |         |
| 47 | 1927-28-S    | VF | 93      | 2 1938-S 1c      | F-EF    |
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| 49 | 1929-S-D     | VF | 95      | 1 @ 1955-        |         |
| 50 | 1930-S-D     | VF |         | 56-57-D          | BU      |
| 51 | 1931-D       | F  | 96      | 1 1955-S 1c      | BU      |
| 52 | 1931-D       | VF | 97      | 2 1955-S 1c      | F-EF    |
| 53 | 1931-S       | VG | 98      | 5 1955-S 1c      | F-EF    |
| 54 | 1931-S       | F  | 99      | 1 1954-S 5c      | BU      |
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The two notes in our illustrations are current paper money of two distant nations. None has ever before been illustrated in a numismatic publication, yet recent changes in federal legislation makes it possible for this issue of the Flying Eaglet to include likenesses of these notes.

How good are you as a numismatic detective? If you think you have found clues to both, write to the Flying Eaglet: the correct answer with earliest postmark and you can watch the mails for a prize.

Face value of the notes ranges from about \$3 down to less than 25 cents.

Correct answers and the name of the winner will be in next month's Flying Eaglet, along with further illustrations relating to this fascinating numismatic field.

Check March issue, for the previous photos.

No one had the correct answers to all three foreign notes. Although the response and effort was great. Odd as it was the "Foreign Paper Money Journal" published by D. Musser, let the cat out of the bag in his March issue by listing the three correct countries. Evidently no one noticed it. 90% of the answers sent in had the first two correct, but the third one proved to be tough to identify.

The correct listings are as follows:

### "FAR AWAY PLACES"

#### ANSWERS

to last month's paper money quiz.

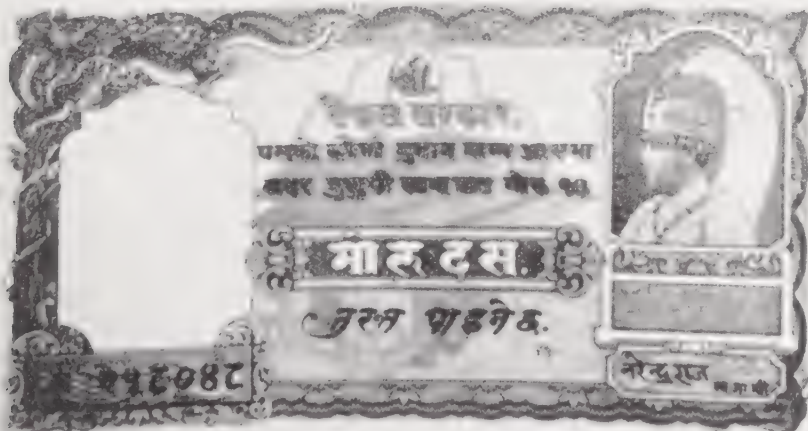
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| 1958-P-D         | .75  |
| 1957-P-D         | .85  |
| 1956-P-D         | .95  |
| 1955-P           | 1.65 |
| 1955-D           | 1.35 |
| 1954-P           | 9.00 |
| 1954-S           | 2.95 |
| 1953-D           | 1.85 |
| 1951-D           | 2.85 |
| 1950-D           | 3.60 |
| 1949-D           | 5.35 |
| 1948-P           | 4.80 |
| 1948-D           | 4.80 |
| 1947-D           | 3.90 |
| 1946-P-D         | 2.65 |
| 1946-S           | 3.70 |
| 1945-P-D         | 2.75 |
| 1945-S           | 3.80 |
| 1944-P-D         | 3.65 |
| 1944-S           | 4.60 |
| 1943-P           | 6.50 |
| 1943-D           | 8.50 |

| NICKLES (per roll) |      |
|--------------------|------|
| 1958-P             | 3.50 |
| 1958-D             | 2.45 |
| 1957-P             | 2.70 |
| 1957-D             | 2.65 |
| 1956-P-D           | 2.90 |
| 1955-D             | 3.25 |
| 1954-P-D           | 3.55 |
| 1951-P             | 6.50 |
| 1948-P             | 4.65 |

| NICKLES (per roll) |       |
|--------------------|-------|
| 1946-D             | 4.75  |
| 1938-P             | 15.50 |
| 1946-S             | 12.25 |

| DIMES (per roll) |       |
|------------------|-------|
| 1957-P           | 5.60  |
| 1956-P           | 5.70  |
| 1954-P           | 6.35  |
| 1953-S           | 7.50  |
| 1952-P-D         | 8.50  |
| 1951-P-D         | 9.50  |
| 1949-D           | 15.50 |
| 1945-S           | 13.50 |
| 1943-P           | 13.00 |
| 1939-D           | 28.00 |

| QUARTERS (per roll) |       |
|---------------------|-------|
| 1958-D              | 10.85 |
| 1957-D              | 11.00 |
| 1956-P-D            | 11.25 |
| 1955-P              | 13.50 |
| 1954-P              | 12.25 |
| 1954-S              | 12.50 |
| 1950-D              | 13.50 |
| 1946-D              | 13.50 |

| HALVES (per roll) |       |
|-------------------|-------|
| 1957-P-D          | 11.40 |
| 1955-P            | 13.50 |
| 1954-P            | 12.50 |
| 1954-S            | 13.25 |
| 1953-D            | 13.50 |
| 1953-S            | 13.75 |
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| 1904    | VG .25 F .40         |
| 1905    | VG .25 F .50         |
| 1905-S  | VG .60               |
| 1906    | VG .30 F .50 VF .75  |
| 1906-S  | VG .60               |
| 1907    | G .20 VG .30 F .60   |
| 1907-O  | VG .40 F 1.00        |
| 1908-D  | G .20                |
| 1909    | G .20 VG .30 F .55   |
| 1909-O  | G 1.40 F .55         |
| 1910    | G .20 VG .30 F .55   |
| 1910-D  | G .20                |
| 1911    | G .20 VG .30 F .50   |
| 1911-D  | G .30 F .50          |
| 1912    | G .20 VG .40 F .50   |
| 1912-D  | G .20 VG .30 F .85   |
| 1912-S  | VG .60               |

Many of the above I only have one coin  
—please include supplementary list. For  
coins after '12 please list for quotations.

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|        |    |             |
|--------|----|-------------|
| 1853   | G  | 1.45        |
| 1854   | VG | 2.00        |
| 1857   | VG | 1.50 F 1.90 |
| 1891   | VF | 5.00        |
| 1893   | F  | 1.90        |
| 1895   | VG | 1.75        |
| 1897   | VG | 1.50 F 2.10 |
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| 1899   | VG | 1.50        |
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| 1902-O | G  | 1.60        |
| 1904   | F  | 1.50        |
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| 1907-D | F  | 1.00        |
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| 1910-S, 1912-D         | .50  | .75   |
| 1909, 10, 11, 12, 13   | .08  | .12   |
| 1911-D, 1913-D         | .25  | .45   |
| 1912-S, 1914-S         | .70  | 1.00  |
| 1913-S, 1915-S         | .60  | .85   |
| 1914-D                 |      | 17.00 |
| 1914, 16, 17, 18, 19   | .04  | .08   |
| 1915-D, 16-D 17-D-S    | .08  | .18   |
| 1915, 16-S, 18-D-S     | .10  | .20   |
| 1919-D-S, 20, 21, 23   | .04  | .08   |
| 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29 | .04  | .08   |
| 1920-D-S, 27-S, 32-P-D | .10  | .15   |
| 1921-S, 24-S           | .20  | .35   |
| 1922-D, 1926-S         | .70  | .90   |
| 1923-S                 | .20  | .40   |
| 1924-D                 | 1.60 | 2.00  |
| 1925-D-S, 26-D, 27-D   | .08  | .16   |
| 1928-D-S, 31-, 38-S    | .08  | .16   |
| 1929-D-S, 1930-D-S     | .04  | .08   |
| 1933-P-D               | .15  | .20   |
| 1931-D                 | .45  | .60   |
| 1931-S, VG.F 8.00      | VF   | 10.25 |
| 1934-D Fine .10        | VF   | .15   |
| 1935-D-S to 1958-D-S   | VF   | .05   |
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| 1920 P-D-S ..... | 10 OF EACH..... | 1.25   |
| 1921 P-S .....   | 10 OF EACH..... | 2.75   |
| 1923 P-S .....   | 10 OF EACH..... | 3.00   |
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| 1928 P-D-S ..... | 10 OF EACH..... | 1.50   |
| 1929 P-D-S ..... | 10 OF EACH..... | 1.25   |
| 1930 P-D-S ..... | 10 OF EACH..... | 1.50   |
| 1934 D .....     | 10 OF EACH..... | .75    |
| 1935 P-D-S ..... | 10 OF EACH..... | 2.00   |
| 1936 P-S .....   | 10 OF EACH..... | 1.00   |
| 1937 P-D-S ..... | 10 OF EACH..... | 1.25   |
| 1938 P-D-S ..... | 10 OF EACH..... | 2.00   |
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| 1953 P-D-S ..... | COMPLETE..... | 7.25    |
| 1954 P-D-S ..... | COMPLETE..... | 5.25    |
| 1955 P-D-S ..... | COMPLETE..... | 3.75    |

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| 1938 P-S .....   | 5 OF EACH..... | 14.00   |
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| 1940 P-D-S ..... | 5 OF EACH..... | 5.50    |
| 1941 P-D-S ..... | 5 OF EACH..... | 4.00    |
| 1942 P-D-S ..... | 5 OF EACH..... | 1.50    |
| 1943 P-D-S ..... | 5 OF EACH..... | 4.50    |
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| 1945 P-D-S ..... | 5 OF EACH..... | 1.60    |
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(From cover page)

## 1943 BRONZE CENT

For the many who may have reasonable doubts and questions about this cent, here is a resume of the sworn statement made by the owner, Don Lutes, Jr., and the five best tests to determine its genuineness performed by the noted Walter Breen and myself.

The first question most asked was why didn't the owner sell the coin before? When the coin was first discovered by Don in March, 1947 from change received in the school cafeteria he was an amateur collector. Later, he heard of the rumor that the Ford Motor Co. was giving a new Ford for a genuine Bronze Cent. This was a false rumor. An inquiry to the Treasury Department brought the reply of no Bronze Cents were issued in 1943. Don then decided to be satisfied with having it in his collection. It wasn't until word was received that a 1943 Bronze Cent was found by Marvin Beyer of Calif. in 1957. This coin was put through tests and proven genuine and later sold for a reported \$40,000. This new discovery and sale prompted Don to attend the NENA Convention in Worcester, Mass., Oct., 1958 and there Walter Breen was shown the Bronze Cent. Through this meeting, Mr. Breen was allowed to examine, test, and verify its authenticity and sell the coin. This Bronze Cent was found before the Beyer's cent. By this report it would be the first one ever discovered and proven genuine. Mr. Breen has examined the Beyer's cent which he states is also authentic but has more wear than the Lutes' cent.

Here are the tests performed and report:

1. **Alterations.** No trace of tool marks on the coin or near the date under a 60 power glass.
2. **Copper Plated — Weight.** The cent was checked for proper weight, weighing 47.7 grains; the standard government weight is 48 grains, the variance (0.3) is acceptable due to circulation. A

zinc — steel cent weighed 42 grains, with magnetic property. The Lutes' cent had no magnetic property.

3. **Casts several Methods, Electrotype, Ferrotypes.** All show fuzziness or indefiniteness of outline, all are off-weight, most have poor sound ring, bubble marks, sand pits, seams on the edges. The Lutes' coin has none of these qualities and is fully comparable to a 1942 cent from circulation.

4. **Forgeries from false dies.** The workmanship immediately identifies it; portrait, lettering, and numerals differs from a genuine. The Lutes' coin matches in every detail the die work of a regular zinc-coated steel cent of 1943.

5. **Replicas.** Is by far the closes to appear as genuine. Blank planchets accidentally slipped past the press dies, containing proper weight, alloy and measurement. A die can be made by pressing a genuine coin into a soft steel cylinder which is then case hardened. Thus a replica die, which can be very convincing and fool the average collector. The die used on the blank planchet, the coin would pass all of the above tests. A coin so made would almost certainly lack definition particularly minute detail (leaves, curls, lettering). Diameter and thickness would deviate from the genuine unless a collar had been specially made for the purpose of preventing the spreading of the flan in the die; an extremely exacting process. The Lutes' coin has correct diameter, thickness and even the VDB is fully comparable to one on a 1942 cent obtained from circulation. In fact, clearer than most any other cent found in circulation. Replication is the most serious and dangerous duplication of a genuine coin. But this method is expensive and extremely difficult.

Although the Mint director states no Bronze Cents were issued during 1943, it is possible and without a doubt in my mind,

coins of this nature can be manufactured unintentionally at the Mint and circulated during the process. A proven fact by the number of "Mint Errors" now in possession of the collector. These pieces (silver cents with varying dates, bronze 5 cent

pieces, and one notable gold cent, among other numerous off-metal coins are fact. The previous items have been selling for as little as \$25.00, hardly worth the time and expense of a costly die, the services of a skilled machinist and other efforts.



BIG JOE'S Happiness Exchange elaborates on the Rare 1943 Cent.

Left to Right: Your Editor, Mary Murray and Julie Mitchell.

## ALL THIS HAPPENED BY THE FLIP OF THE RADIO DIAL

At 1 A.M., March 15th, the phone was ringing, sound asleep in bed I got up blurry eyed and answered it. Nick Salimbene, who was listening to our favorite radio program, "Big Joe's Happiness Exchange." "Are you listening to Big Joe?" "No, I was asleep," I replied. "Quick, call up Big Joe, are you missing it. Big Joe is interviewing Walter Breen who has with him the rare Bronze 1943 Cent he mentioned over the air." "I wish Nick or Frank is listening and call me on the phone." I then called up the radio station and Big Joe invited us to hurry over to examine this rare cent and discuss it over the air. By now it was 2:00 A.M. I started to get into my clothes and nudged my wife, "I am going to New York, Big Joe has the Bronze 1943 Cent and Walter Breen is on the air." "At this hour," she replied, "you're crazy!" For the min-

ute she had me thinking! Things were happening fast, but I thought if Walter Breen has a genuine 1943 and is on the air it must be so. Here's a good chance for a news item first hand, also a chance to handle a genuine Bronze 1943.

Off we were to the ABC studios with Nick. Within 35 minutes via Pulaski Skyway, Lincoln Tunnel and 40 traffic lights, we were inspecting this rare cent for the first time with excitement over the air.

2½ hours was spent discussing the hobby and answering phone calls with Big Joe, and through Jim Gordon's part of the show. One call was from Dr. Selma Glick, who told Big Joe not to wash his hands after he handled the rare cent until she touched them. Excitement was high for those in the studio to see and handle a \$40,000 coin, the Mighty Penny.





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| 1893-O, 11-D-S   | .65    | 1.00  |      |       |
| 1894-O, 98-S   | .75    |       |      |       |
| 1895-O, 99-O   | .75    | 1.15  |      |       |
| 1896-O   | 1.55   | 2.40  |      |       |
| 1900-O   | 1.10   |       |      |       |
| 1900-S, 06-O, 07-S   |        |       |      |       |
| 09-S, 13-D   | .50    | .80   |      |       |
| 1902-O, 12-S   |        | 1.35  |      |       |
| 1903-O   | 1.00   |       |      |       |
| 1903-S, 08-S   | 1.35   |       |      |       |
| 1904-O   | 2.25   | 3.45  |      |       |
| 1905-O   | 1.55   |       |      |       |
| 1905-S   | .85    |       |      |       |
| 1906-D   | .50    |       |      |       |
| 1907-D-O, 10-D   | .40    | .65   | 1.15 |       |
| 1909-O   | 4.20   |       |      |       |
| 1913   | 1.00   | 1.50  |      |       |
| 1915-S   |        | 1.00  |      |       |
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## HAPPINESS EXCHANGE



Walter Breen, left of photo, is shown flipping the Rare Cent with your Editor. Who'll pay the Breakfast bill — Tails showed up, I paid the bill.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

The "Dalworth Club" announces its Bourse schedule for 1959:

|           |                  |
|-----------|------------------|
| Ft. Worth | June 14th        |
| Dallas    | August 2nd       |
| Dallas    | Oct. 2, 3, & 4th |
| Ft. Worth | Nov. 22nd        |

Fort Worth Bourses are held at the Texas Hotel, 'Longhorn Room.' Dallas Bourses are at the Baker Hotel, Mezzanine. Hours: 1 P.M. to 8 P.M.

Driver of jallopy: Dollar's worth of gas, please.

Filling station attendant: Why not fill her up?

Driver: She may not go that far.

"Can anyone tell me what you must do before you obtain forgiveness of sin?"

"Sin!"

## INTERESTING PROBLEM

A man was allowed to take 100 people into a theatre for \$1.00 if he would bring the correct amount of children, women and men. These are the rates for the day:

|                         |
|-------------------------|
| 10 children for 1¢ each |
| 10 women for 2¢ each    |
| 10 men for 5¢ each      |

How many children, women and men would you bring along? (Answers will be in our May issue.)

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Walter Breen, is noted for his many reference articles on Half Cents and Large Cents. He has attributed many new varieties in his works. His recent works are in the new edition of Sheldon's Large Cent book "Penny Wimmsy."

At the studio and while having breakfast, we examined part of Walter's Half Cents collection which he brought with him. One was a 1794 X.F., one of, if not the best known. Among the many other coins which were proofs and choice items, were a B.U. 42/41 dime, and a B.U. 1955 Double Shift Cent.

The listeners of WABC radio station were invited to attend the N. Y. Metropolitan Convention, May 1-3, at the Park Sheraton Hotel. We discussed the exhibits, Bourse Tables and usual procedures of a successful convention. In fact, a few days later I received several letters from listeners who will make it a point to attend.

It will be worth your while to listen to the Big Joe, Happiness Exchange on WABC, 770 on your dial. He is on 12 midnight to 6 A.M. with Jim Gordon, the well liked and noted sports announcer. The program is on every day of the week.

The Happiness Exchange has been of great help to our hobby. Among the many interviews and talks already given by others, the future holds more to come.



## From the Smithsonian Institution

Washington, D. C.—**Dr. V. Clain-Stefanelli**, curator of the Smithsonian Institution's coin collection, announces that this collection now consists of nearly 90,000 specimens. It contains coins and medals of all periods and metals as well as paper currencies.

The collection had its start in 1793 at the United States Mint in Philadelphia. Each year the chief coiner would set aside a specimen of each type and date of coin minted. This mint collection was transferred to the Smithsonian after the First World War.

To this collection have been added coins of foreign countries of all periods in various metals from iron to gold and platinum. In addition, extremely valuable coin collections have been presented to the Institution by private donors.

Beginning with Ptolemy I of Egypt, 323-285 B.C., who was the first man to place his portrait on a coin, nearly every famous person in history will be found portrayed on coins and medals in the Smithsonian collection. This adds greatly to the historical value of the collection for, in many instances such portraits are not to be found in any other medium of art.

Of special interest is the long series of Roman portrait coins which begins with Julius Caesar and continues to the late Roman Empire some 500 years later. While the Romans never surpassed the Greeks in art, they did excel in portraiture and their rulers are depicted in a realistic fashion.

There are many coin denominations that are closely interwoven with history and literature, and such pieces cannot fail to arouse the curiosity and interest of the visitor. Among the ancient coins will be found the widow's mite and the tribute penny mentioned in the Bible. The Venetian ducat, the florin of Florence, and the Spanish doubloon, which for centuries ruled the money markets of the world, are on view, as are other denominations of lasting fame.

Of unusual interest in the United States series are the denominations that once circulated but for some reason or other proved to be neither necessary nor popular. These include the half-cent, the two-, three-, and twenty-cent pieces, and the trade dollar.

Perhaps the question most frequently asked regarding the collection is what it is worth. This question, the curator explains, cannot be answered, for the collection contains many unique pieces that have never been offered on the coin market, and so there is no basis by which to estimate their value. Whatever monetary value might be placed on the collection would be small in comparison with its artistic and historical worth.

The earliest coins represented

## Comments on So-Called Mint Errors

We are constantly answering correspondence offering us coins that are sent to us as very scarce, rare, unique, and ultra unique, etc. as "mint errors."

**Number 1.** Minor hairline die cracks, filled letters and parts of dates, as filled "O," filled "D," etc. This type is not desirable to a mint error collector, especially since he desires far off-center coins.

**Number 2.** Rotated dies, where the reverse does not line up with the obverse is, again, of no importance to the mint error collector. This happens frequently on all types of coins, especially in some instances the half cents can be collected with reverse off-center in all positions around the clock. Indian cents, Shield Type, Liberty Head coins, etc. have been seen with rotated reverses. We have seen modern coins like a 1956 Franklin Half Dollar with the reverse turned. Yes, even on proofs.

**Number 3.** Weak struck letters, weak features of design, weak dates, etc.—This is unimportant also to a mint error collector. It is nothing but a poorly struck coin.

**Number 4.** This is the worst of the lot. Chemically cleaned, plated, etc., so-called (Brass Cents). In the past year we have looked at hundreds of rank "phonies." They look brassy but are nothing more than chemically cleaned or plated which appear as brass cents.

are the staters of Lydia, in Asia Minor, which were coined about 700 B.C. These crude little globular-shaped pieces were made from a natural alloy containing 75 percent gold and 25 percent silver. These are the first coins "invented" by man.

Examples of the first silver coins, silver staters from the island of Aegina, are also in the collection, and these date from about 600 B.C.

One section of the United States' portion of the collection is devoted to the pattern or experimental pieces which were made at the Mint as early as 1792 and continued up until fairly recent years. Many of these designs were never adopted, but they served a useful purpose in helping our designers arrive at a design that would be attractive as well as resistant to wear.

The collection of Lincoln medals and tokens which is on display in the Coin Room was formed by the late Robert Hewitt of New York. It comprises 1,300 pieces and is the largest of its kind in existence.

The exhibit of paper money is divided into seven periods, the first of which is devoted to the notes issued by the Thirteen Colonies previous to the time of the Revolution. This is followed by the issues authorized by the Continental Congress from 1775 to 1779.

Following this is a representative exhibit of the notes issued by private banks from 1800 to 1860,

## H.A.N.A. 25th Anniversary Medal

Mr. Bruce D. Busey, artist and designer of the Heart of America Numismatic Association's Twenty-fifth Anniversary Medal was born in Quenimo, Kansas and spent the major portion of his life in Kansas City, Missouri. Mr. Busey began his art training at the Kansas City Junior College in 1954 and has extended his education in this field at the University of Missouri.

About the medal, Mr. Busey has this to say: "My design commemorating the twenty-fifth anniversary of the H.A.N.A. was a stimulating challenge. I tried to depict the essence of coinage and its relation to Man, subjectively and objectively. On one side of the medal I have shown the first hand operated coin press of the United States. This machine was a crude, slow device which stamped the metal into a set jig and thereby produced a coin. The other face of the medal shows the Liberty Memorial and a sky-line of Kansas City. This represents the heart of the association. The obverse is dedicated to the H.A.N.A., whereas the reverse symbolizes the essence of the coin collectors' association."

The entire medal was rendered with a simplicity of design in order to avoid confusion and stress direct communication. A similarity of the handling of the elements of this medal and that of the old Roumanian and German work can also be seen. The medal is 35 mm. in diameter and was struck in a metal of nickel-silver composition. The years 1934 and 1959 represent the number of years for which the association has been organized. On the reverse side H.A.N.A. honors the Central States Numismatic Society and its 17th annual convention on April 24, 25, 26, 1959.

Felix Cannatella, Jr., Chairman

U. S. fractional notes from three to 50 cents, Confederate currency, and U. S. Government notes. On display is, for instance, a complete set in duplicate of all U. S. current paper money from the \$1 to \$10,000 bill. These were especially prepared by the U. S. Bureau of Engraving and Printing, and while they have no face or "spending" value they never fail to fascinate the passers-by.

The coin collection is located in the Smithsonian's Arts and Industries Building, in Washington, and is viewed by more than two million visitors every year.

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## Numismatic Question-Answer Box

By C. Lynn Glaser



Feuchtwanger Composition Cent

Q. What is a Feuchtwanger cent? — Mrs. F. W. L., Canterbury, Conn.

A. Feuchtwanger cents were struck for Dr. Lewis Feuchtwanger, a New York druggist who invented an alloy somewhat similar to German silver, which he called Feuchtwanger's Composition. The tokens were issued in 1837 to spur his campaign to persuade the government to adopt his metal for coinage. These pieces circulated with the "Hard Times Tokens" around 1837-1844 and are listed by Low in his reference on the subject as No. 120. There are between 13 and 20 varieties of this scarce cent. Here is a brief description of the Feuchtwanger cent. Obverse: Eagle clutching a snake facing right. Reverse: One cent enclosed in wreath, around the outside of the wreath are the words: Feuchtwagner's Composition.

Q. What is a Key Coin? — E. M., Dodgeville, Wis.

A. Key Coins are the scarcest coins of a particular series. For instance: the Key Coins of the Lincoln Cent series are the 1909-S VDB, 1909-S, 1914-D, and 1931-S. It is usually advisable to get the Key Coins of a series first because they are the hardest to get and they are the first to rise in value.

Q. Where are the designer's initials on the new Lincoln Cent reverse? Is this the first time two men have designed a single coin? — C. H., Los Angeles, Calif.

A. Frank Gasparro put his initials near the bushes on the right side of the Lincoln Memorial.

As for the second question, not by a long shot, a few of our gold coins have been designed by two men, a great many of our commemoratives. In several instances one man designed the obverse, another the reverse or sometimes they worked together on one side.

Q. Could you list the different types of Mint Errors? — R. K., Cleveland, Ohio.

A. Blank—A disk having reached circulation without striking. First Process: flat rim, Second Process: milled or rolled rim.

Clip—A coin resulting from the punching machine cutting into an already punched out adjacent hole.

Defective Planchet (Flaking, etc.)—A coin resulting from poorly annealed metal.

Incused—What happens from failure to eject previous coin (two planchets in die at same time).

Multiple Struck—A coin struck twice because of failure to eject coin after first strike.

Off-Center—An error resulting from a coin being struck out of alignment with dies.

Off-Metal—A coin being struck on a planchet designed for another metal. For Example: A dime struck on a cent planchet.

Oversize—A coin resulting from excessive pressure causing the die collar to expand. Thus allowing planchet to expand.

Thick—A coin resulting from an ingot not being rolled down to standard size.

Thin—A coin resulting from an ingot being rolled down beyond standard size.

Q. I would like to know about 1937 reeded edge cents. Why are they this way? — F. S., La Crescenta, Calif.

A. A Philadelphia coin dealer had the edge of about one hundred 1937 cents and nickels reeded at a local machine shop. He sold them as a novelty at the 1941 A.N.A. Convention.

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| 1918-S   | .37  | .58  | 1.95 | 3.90 |
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| 1920-S   | .34  | .56  | 1.15 | 2.50 |
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| 1924-S   | 1.35 | 2.45 |      |      |
| 1925-D   | .43  | .64  | 1.25 | 1.95 |
| 1925-S   | .41  | .62  | 1.85 | 2.50 |
| 1926-D   | .32  | .57  | .95  | 1.65 |
| 1927-D   | .31  | .56  | .89  | 1.60 |
| 1927-S   | .55  | .95  | 2.50 |      |
| 1928-D   | .36  | .58  | .95  | 1.65 |
| 1928-S   | .47  | .59  | 1.97 | 2.75 |
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